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BRISTOL BUCKS COUNTY, PA. THURSDAY, JULY 20, 1899.

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# JULY CUT-PRICE SALE.

We've established a trade-rule—to begin unloading stocks immediately after July 4th. This season we have a very much larger and better variety, thus making it easy choosing of anything desired for women and children, ready-to-wear, at a saving in price of one-third to one-half, including

Tailor-Made Cloth Suits, Tailor-Made Washable Suits, Pique and Linen Skirts, Duck and Denim Skirts, Serge and Silk Skirts, Taffeta and India Silk Waists, Pique and Lawn Waists, Percale and Madras Waists, Jackets and Golf Capes, Dressing Sacques and Lounging Robes, Children's White and Colored Dresses, Muslin and Knit Underwear, Hosiery and Corsets, Wrappers and Petticoats.

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HOUGH JENNIE STRAWS, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. 50c a bundle from \$1.00 up.

## Hattel,

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These soups are of high grade and superior quality and are ready to serve, except the warming, put up in full quart tins, of which we will carry a full variety of the most desirable kinds any of which will make an appetizing introduction at any dinner. The price is 25c the tin or 25¢ the dozen, excepting four kinds which we will sell at 30c the tin or 30¢ the dozen.

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EDWARD H. FOSTER, Fancy Grocer, Bristol, Pa.

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## A. Weir Gilkeson,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, BRISTOL, PA.

## Dr. C. E. King,

DENTIST, 202 Mill Street, Bristol, (Over Purcell's Drug Store.)

## S. P. Dunham & Co.

Trenton, Thursday, July 20.

## Important Features of the Stock Adjustment Sale.

Most of the shirtwaists are half former price. Carpets are a half and two thirds. Women's suits and dress skirts, some at half, others two thirds. Muslin underwear—about the price of materials. Odd suits and pieces of furniture at less than you have ever seen them here. Black goods of the best sorts are prices of common kinds.

This is the profitless season of the year, and at the same time one of the most profitable. Profitless to us now, profitable a little later on, for the space which goods occupy now must be handed over to the autumn goods. All things combine to make it your harvest time. Will you profit by it?

## THOSE 98c BLACK SILK AND WOOL CREPONS.

They were \$1.25 and \$1.50; nearly fifty per cent silk remember, and the crinkly, crepe effect is woven in them, not pressed. The blacks are absolutely fast; there will be no fraying or giving out at the seams, nor have they any other of the faults which many crepons have.

45 inch Half silk crepons that was \$3.00, \$1.60.  
60 inch Black French serge that was \$3.00, \$1.60.  
40 inch Black brilliantine, instead of 75c, 45c.  
45 inch Black French Henriettes, 50c.  
40 inch Fine black wool batistes, were \$1.00, 50c.  
40 inch all wool black crepons, instead of \$1.25, 88c.

## WASH DRESS GOODS.

Manufacturers are throwing overboard all their stock; their season is about at an end; yours is just cleverly under way. It results like this.

Linen finished lawns, fine colors, 30, 12c. Colored dimities, 5c.  
15c French Batistes, 10c.  
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Rhone very fine gossamer like pineapple batistes, 15c.  
Rhone Mulligan Gossamer, imported to sell at 25c and 30c, are 19c.

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Improved Facilities. Superb Service. Unexcelled Qualities.

Parties, Weddings and Social Gatherings receive careful attention.

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Next to Prizer's Drug Store.

## A Week's Doings Throughout the County.

### DOYLESTOWN.

G. Taylor Leland, President of the Quakertown Traction Company, is now the owner of all the stock of the Bucks County Railway Company, whose road runs from Doylestown to Willow Grove. It was announced in the last issue of the Gazette that Mr. Leland had purchased a controlling interest in the road, but since that time he has become the owner of the stock held by William J. Felt, the heaviest stockholder. Mr. Leland proposes to make the road a more important and valuable property than it is at present by pushing work on the Quakertown line, which, with the road building from Newtown, will make valuable feeders to the Willow Grove line. Superintendent Moffat of the latter line, has resigned his position, and the receivers of the road are managing it with the assistance of Robert Guyon, a trusted employee who has been in charge of the power house.

Doylestown is very happy over the prospect of an increased water supply. An artesian well with a flow of 150 gallons to the minute was struck the other day, and another well is now being bored in the vicinity. The well tested contains water that is cold and delicious, and the flow is sufficient to meet the daily consumption of the town if it will hold out as indicated by the test. Another well of the same capacity will surely be abundant, and all that will be needed to complete the good work inaugurated by Council will be a suitable storage reservoir. The second well is now at the depth of 30 feet, and there is no reason why a second stroke of good fortune should not occur, as there seems to be an abundance of springs in the locality.

More or less confusion has occurred concerning the registration of school children in this county owing to the fact that the law compels the registration of the names of all minors over six years of age. Consequently the list contains the names of hundreds who are beyond the age of 13, which is the limit fixed by the compulsory education law. The registration of minors was required in order that this law might be enforced by supplying the secretaries of the various districts with lists of the children of lawful school age, but the senseless provision for the registration of children beyond this age entails a great deal of unnecessary expense in the shape of Assessors' pay and cost of transcribing.

The County Commissioners at a meeting held on Monday approved of the repairs made to the old Ambrose building. The work was not expensive, but a great deal of labor was performed in new roofing, pointing of walls, and putting in new window frames and floors. The repairs will make the old building much more comfortable for the aged inmates than it has been heretofore, especially in winter. The outside work was let by contract, and amounted to \$2,183.00, but inside was done by day work, the exact cost of which has not been determined, but it will not exceed \$500. It was impossible to let this portion of the work out by contract, as it was not known just what would be required until the carpenters got to work.

Charles H. Keiser, of Attleboro, has been appointed Republican in Committee at that place by County Chairman Joseph W. Shelly. The nomination papers for the election of officers of the new borough have been filed in the office of the County Commissioners. The election will take place on August 1.

Residents of Doylestown are enjoying the Danrosch concerts at Willow Grove Park, which began on Tuesday. The orchestra was preceded by the famous Banda Rossa, but the latter was not as popular as the Danrosch orchestra.

### Chautauqua.

On July 25 the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run the last special excursion of the season from Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Reading, Altoona, Bellefonte, Lock Haven, Shamokin, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, and Williamsport, and Philadelphia, Altoona, and Scranton, and on the Delaware Division, Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad, and on the Cumberland Valley Railroad, to Chautauqua, N. Y. Special train will start from Harrisburg at 11:35 a. m. and arrive at Chautauqua about 10:30 p. m. Connecting train will leave Philadelphia at 8:45 a. m.

Round-trip tickets from Philadelphia good to return on regular trains not later than August 25, \$10.00, and at proportionate rates from other stations.

Passengers from Atlantic City, Bridgeton, Vineland, Clayton, N. J., and stations on the Delaware Division will use trains to Philadelphia on day preceding date of excursion.

For specific rates and time of connecting trains apply to nearest ticket agent.

### The things that people see are inside of them and not outside. No two people see the same thing exactly alike. One woman may look out at a beautiful landscape and see all the beauty and restfulness and grandness that there is in it. Another one will look out at the same scene and see nothing. The man who is perfectly well and vigorous enjoys life to the full. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes pure, rich blood. Keep a stream of pure, rich, red blood flowing into a diseased spot, and the disease will not stay. A man lives on rich, pure blood, and disease dies out.

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For Sale very Cheap—ON MARK OFFER—5 large first-class building lots at the "Lansdowne Land Association," close to the pike, S. E. side between Bristol and Crofton Station, also close to Pennsylvania R. R. Each lot, 30 by 100 feet. Title perfect, everything straight and correct, and will be sold clear of everything, one lot or more. Splendid sites for brick houses, or for building cottages, or stop paying rent, or money to pay on building can be borrowed. Good fertile land for raising vegetables, fruits and chickens, and to keep a cow free on vacant lots around.

Easily accessible by horse car, fare 5c, connected with trolley car starting from Crofton Station at Philadelphia, and to Crofton Station at 10:30 a. m. For bigger bargains in lots apply to or write J. R. HOFF, owner, 3002 Germantown avenue, Philadelphia.

### A Child Enjoys

The pleasant flavor, gentle action, and soothing effect of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be constipated or bilious, the most gratifying results follow its use; so that it is the best family remedy known and every family should have a bottle. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

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### TULLYTOWN.

Tullytown seems to be gaining quite a reputation as a summer resort, or at least as a comfortable and quiet retreat from the dust and heat of the cities, from Saturday till Monday. There was a large delegation of Trentonians at the Penn County Club Saturday and Sunday, a number of the gentlemen coming down on the steam yacht "Undine." That Philadelphia was quite well represented in town is shown by the fact that the steamer Trenton took twenty-nine passengers, homeward bound, on the afternoon trip down the river. In addition to these there were a number of Philadelphians in town who returned by train.

The Rev. Allen Judd, formerly of this place, exchanged pulpits with the pastor of the M. E. Church last Sunday morning. The regular communion service followed the morning sermon. The Sunday school connected with this church will hold its annual picnic on Thursday, the 27th inst. The committee in charge is making every effort to have a pleasant time. All are cordially invited. A feature that will commend itself to those who do not wish to carry baskets, will be that lunch and refreshments will be served by the committee at a reasonable price.

A special meeting of the Board of School Directors was held on Tuesday evening to consider the report of a committee appointed to recommend necessary repairs. The committee reported that one-half of the roof and the cupola needed resingling, and that the desks of the lower room were in need of repairs. The committee was instructed to obtain an estimate of the cost of the necessary repairs and report at the next regular meeting.

Oliver Harper is marketing his early potatoes, the Beauty of Hebron. They are turning out fine and command the highest market price. Mr. Harper also has a fine crop of apples this year of which he is justly proud. He has an abundance of the early varieties now, and the heavily-laden boughs promise an immense crop of fall and winter apples.

Several members of the local tribe of Red Men paid an informal visit to the Mohican Tribe, of Bristol, last Monday evening. The boys were greatly pleased by their cordial reception, and are loud in their praises of the warm hospitality of the Mohicans.

At the Christian Church next Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. William J. Wright, will preach on the topic "The Leaven of the Pharisees," and in the evening will answer the question, "Where is the Kingdom of God?"

Harry Woodside has made extensive repairs to the property on Main street that he recently purchased. George Lynn, of Fallington, is doing the necessary painting to complete the work.

Mrs. Stanfield Smith gave a tea and musical on Tuesday evening in honor of her niece, Miss Marion Burger and Ethel Bennett, of Philadelphia, who are visiting at the home of Mrs. Smith on Main street.

The regular meeting of the William Penn Building and Loan Association was held on Monday evening. The rush for loans seemed to be over and nothing was done beyond the regular routine of business.

Joseph Strockbine and son, Joseph, Jr., and Mrs. Annie Royal, with her son and daughter, Harry and Bertha, all of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Leigh.

Mrs. Annie Burton and daughter, Miss Lillian Burton, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Brock Shoemaker at their home on Main street.

William Barrett, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday in Tullytown. It is reported that Mr. Barrett intends to soon return to Tullytown to reside.

Mrs. Russell H. Howell and daughter, of Trenton, are visiting Mrs. Howell's sister, Mrs. William R. Garretson, at her home on Main street.

Mrs. F. Ewald Zenger and her daughter, Sophia, are visiting Mrs. Zenger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wagenknight, last Sunday.

Messrs. Henry J. Rife and Ralston Wells, of Philadelphia, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wagenknight last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hamer, of Trenton, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. William R. Garretson, of this place, on Saturday last.

Mrs. Knowles, of Morrisville, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Hogeand, on Fallington avenue.

William H. Wideman and William Crammons are spending their vacation visiting relatives at Chesapeake City, Md.

Amos B. Headley has built a new porch and otherwise repaired and improved one of his houses near the mill pond.

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### MORRISVILLE.

George Wiener, of Bridge street, is on the sick list.

Thomas C. Knowles, of Yardley, was a recent visitor.

Lawyer L. R. Bond, of Doylestown, was a visitor here on Monday last.

Elmer Burns, of Smith street, is suffering from an attack of chills and malaria.

Dr. William A. Fox, of Smith street, took a business trip to Philadelphia on Monday last.

Councilman Samuel Tomlinson, of Washington street, visited friends in Yardley, on Wednesday last.

Miss Henrietta Hayden, of Newark, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kianey, of Green street.

Rev. and Mrs. Levi Gifford, of Grandville, Pa., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Taylor, of Union street.

Mrs. Frank Hogeand, of Tullytown, is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Knowles, of Smith street.

Quite a number of alterations and improvements are being made to the dwelling occupied by Ralph Sweeting on Smith street.

Mrs. Frank J. Smith and son, Frank, Jr., of Crown street, have returned home again after a two week's visit to relatives in Norristown.

Mrs. Maria W. Taylor and daughter, Lillian, of Mill street, are visiting Mrs. Taylor's daughter, Mrs. Edward Grant, of Pottsville, Canada.

Joseph Query, of Mill street, paid a visit to East Orange, where he went to attend the funeral of his sister, which occurred at that place on Tuesday last.

Thomas Johnson and wife, of Trenton, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ricey, of Maple street on Tuesday last.

Howard Wright, a former resident of this place, but who for the past six years has been a soldier in the United States regulars, is spending a few days with relatives here.

The four-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fowler, of Centre street, was interred at the Morrisville Cemetery on last Thursday. The little one died of cholera infantum.

Numerous complaints are being made by the residents in the upper end of the Borough, of a gang of boys who tear off the fence rails from the fences in that part of the town.

The one-year-old child of John Grant, of Penn Valley, whose death occurred from the effects of cholera infantum about a week ago, was buried in the Morrisville Cemetery on Saturday last.

Assessor L. A. Howell, of Smith street, who has secured the contract for the fencing in of the tracks along the Trenton, Princeton & Lawrenceville steam railway, started a gang of men at work on Friday last. The work was commenced at Ewing and will be pushed toward Trenton. It will probably be two months before the work is completed.

Ex-Assessor George W. Wright, of Green street, and Miss Annie Russell, of Torrens, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony on Saturday evening last. The wedding took place in Philadelphia. After the ceremony the newly-married couple went on a short wedding tour and on their return will take up their residence in this place.

The Morrisville Baseball Club will probably run an excursion to Atlantic City in the near future. The team has a game arranged with the crack team of that place, and although no date has yet been agreed upon the excursion will be run in connection with the team's trip. The team has no desire to make any money out of the excursion therefore the fare will be placed at the lowest rate fixed by the railroad company.

William Titus, of Bridge street, is now nursing a broken finger as the result of a heavy fall which he sustained while walking along Washington street one evening recently. While passing the residence of Joseph Heburn, at which place there is a sharp decline in the grade of the sidewalk, he stumbled and fell to the ground with such force that he struck his hands on the sidewalk and broke one of his fingers and bruised his hands quite severely.

The Morrisville Baseball Club defeated the strong Crescents, of Philadelphia, before a crowd of three hundred people at the home grounds on Saturday afternoon last. The features of the game was the batting of Captain Potts and Vandegrift, and the fielding of Young and I. Justice for the home team. For the visitors the first base playing of Mack is deserving of special praise. Score: Morrisville, 13; Crescents, 1. Umpire, George Royle, of Trenton.

The fourth of a series of games for the championship of Bucks and Mercer counties will take place on the home grounds on Saturday afternoon next when the home team will do battle with their old rivals, the Y. M. C. A. team of Trenton. Dick Seeds and Vandegrift will be in the points for the home team, while either Egner or Boswell will do the pitching for the visitors, and Titus, who formerly caught for the Princeton College team, will be at the receiving end of the battery.

There was a large attendance at the Sunday school picnic.

Miss Fannie E. White is the guest of relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Caroline M. Bartle has been visiting relatives in Bristol for several days.

William Bevan, of Cornwells, was visiting his son, William, the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Diekel, of Yardley, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Dunbar.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. John Grant died last week. Cholera infantum was the cause. Funeral services were held on Saturday afternoon.

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good faith.  
THURSDAY JULY 20, 1899.

General Miles should be sent to the Phil-  
ippines.  
It is not known that George Washington  
assassinated any of his commanding generals.  
It is about time to call the parallel between  
Washington and Aguinaldo an error of  
judgment.

General Alger has "retired under fire"  
from President McKinley's Cabinet. The  
only dark spot on the administration is thus  
brightened.

If Colonel Hawkins, of the "Fighting  
Tenth," will not accept a nomination for  
State Treasurer, the State Convention could  
not do better than confer the honor upon  
General Schall, of Norristown.

Sixteen thousand applications for pensions  
have been received from soldiers in the re-  
cent war. This government is the most lib-  
eral on earth as to pensions, and no de-  
serving applicant will be refused.

Pennsylvania points with satisfaction to  
its silk industry whose production is over  
\$22,000,000, an increase of 23 per cent.  
since 1895. It is one of many forms of man-  
ufacture in the United States of which little  
is heard, but which are growing rapidly.

Surely there is "nothing new under the  
sun." A writer in the New York Tribune  
declares that automobile carriages were in  
use as early as 1680. We expect to hear be-  
fore long that Adam and Eve rode a tandem  
on the bicycle path in the Garden of Eden.

Poor Boston is again sorely afflicted. In  
addition to the gypsy mites, the sparrows,  
the teredos, the big augur worms, the kissing  
bugs and the anti-expansion pests, the  
canker worms have now made their appear-  
ance in countless thousands. On Boston  
Common people walking under trees are  
obliged to carry umbrellas.

Mr. Aguinaldo's ornamental declamation to  
his constituents, in which he character-  
ized his people as "Filipino, beloved daugh-  
ter of the radiant sun of the tropics," reminds  
one of the petted effusions of James Hamil-  
ton Lewis. The only difference between the  
character is that Lewis' own people  
punished him for his making his sweet-  
scented efforts.

In point of originality it is declared that  
Madame Sarah Bernhardt's Hamlet is de-  
cidedly the most surprising this or any other  
generation has seen. She makes a cheerful  
character of the usually accepted melan-  
choly Dane, and her grave diggers are ro-  
bust of their solemn demeanor. Polonius  
becomes an altogether comic character and  
Ophelia is acted with a girlish charm, and  
in the mad scene with a haunting, innocent  
pathos that is pitiful and touching.

Burroughs Michener, of Buckingham,  
makes announcement in this week's Gazette  
that he is a candidate for the Republican  
nomination for Recorder of Deeds to suc-  
ceed William P. Wright, of Bristol. Mr.  
Michener has been making an active cam-  
paign for the nomination and has received  
assurances of support which causes him to  
believe that he will be a successful con-  
tender for the nomination. He is an active  
Republican and possesses the necessary qual-  
ifications to make a good officer.

General Miles saved Shafter from disgrace  
at Santiago. General Miles is a failure in the  
Philippines. General Miles is a soldier and  
fighter, born and bred, and is the one mili-  
tary figure in the United States who should  
be sent to Manila to take supreme charge of  
the campaign. His long years of service  
and actual campaigning in the Indian  
country makes him eminently fitted to cope  
with the Filipino insurgents. Remove Alger  
and Corbin and give Miles full sway in the  
Philippines and the rebellion will be short  
lived.

The Hon. R. Witman Danahy, the Skip-  
pary orator, and anti-Quay leader of Mon-  
mouth County, declares there is no change  
of sentiment in the State on Quay's cam-  
paign. He believes there is, but he is to be  
convinced of this positive language is used by  
our esteemed contemporary. Just why Brother  
Danahy feels so assured upon the subject we  
do not know. In studying the situation,  
everything by which we can judge, there  
seems to be a revolution of sentiment in  
Quay's favor. We would feel more like ac-  
cepting Danahy's statement if he would  
furnish a bill of particulars.

It is reported that the President and his  
Cabinet will ignore the charges made by the  
newspaper war correspondents in the  
Philippines. The high authorities at Wash-  
ington undoubtedly understand their busi-  
ness, but it is doubtful if the American peo-  
ple will be satisfied unless the corres-  
pondents' charges are disproved or a change  
is the command effected. The men who  
signed the "round robin" have established  
reputations for reliability and were sent by  
the greatest newspapers in the country to  
furnish their journals with the truth. Two  
of them are Associated Press correspondents.  
They are men who are not calculated to en-  
gage in any frivolous assertions.

"Steamship Row," at the lower end of  
Broadway, is to be torn down to permit of  
the erection of the New York Custom House.  
These houses on Bowling Green, which now  
serve as the offices of the American, Anchor  
and various steamship lines, were at one  
time the most fashionable homes in New  
York, and are the sole tie of today to the  
period when Bowling Green was the most  
select and aristocratic portion of the city.  
These houses were the finest in the city and  
were the admiration of the time. Practi-  
cally they were the forerunners of the typi-  
cal three-story-and-basement dwelling. For  
three quarters of a century they have stood  
and are still in good condition, but the  
march of improvement has sealed their doom,  
and their destruction will probably occur  
within a month. With their passing  
will vanish practically the last architectural  
memory of New York from 1825.

The official list has been issued for the  
Republican State Convention to meet in the  
opera house at Harrisburg on Thursday,  
August 24, at 10 A. M., to nominate can-  
didates for Supreme Judge, Superior Judge  
and State Treasurer, and for the transac-  
tion of such other business as may be pre-  
sented.  
That convention will be in the complete  
control of the friends of Senator Quay. The  
faction which made war upon the State or-  
ganization will be scarcely represented, the  
Republican voters of the State having refused  
to endorse the course pursued to defeat the  
regularly nominated candidate for the United  
States Senate.

Because the people have renewed their  
confidence in M. S. Quay and believe that  
he will exert his influence to the end that  
capable, trustworthy and stalwart candidates  
will be nominated for the various offices, his  
young lieutenant have taken it to mean that  
there must be a war of extermination waged  
upon the "insurgents." Such a proceeding  
would not only be a misinterpretation of the  
primary policy, but it would be a disas-  
trous policy to inaugurate. Senator Quay does  
not desire to "rob it in," but wishes to deal  
justly with the "insurgent" faction. If left  
alone the ticket Quay would urge would be  
Colonel Hawkins, of Washington, for State  
Treasurer; Judge W. D. Porter, of Pittsburg,  
for Supreme Court Justice, and Judge Bee-  
cher, of Philadelphia, for Superior Court Jus-  
tice. That ticket would be one which would  
command the united support of the party,  
without containing any irregular elements.  
But the composition does not suit the Dur-  
ham-Bikins-Jencks-Andrews coterie. It pre-  
fers Lieutenant-Colonel Barnett, of Washing-  
ton, instead of Hawkins. Barnett would be a  
weak candidate and Senator Quay knows it.  
It is said that he has been not only irregu-  
lar in his political career but has in times  
past out-tolled the "bolters." With Barnett  
as a candidate for Treasurer it is  
difficult to perceive how the stalwart faction  
can consistently campaign in his interest  
after all that has been said and written  
about "irregularity."

The Quay lieutenants also demand the  
nomination of Justice Aichbold, of Scranton,  
for Supreme Justice, while Quay wants Por-  
ter to please Maine, but is willing to com-  
promise on J. H. Brown, of Lancaster.  
Brown would be an ideal candidate and rep-  
resents everything that Archbold is not. A  
mistake will be made in the selection of the  
Lackawanna jurist for exaltation to the Su-  
preme bench.

There is no more astute politician or sagacious  
leader of men in the country than Sen-  
ator Quay. His advice is always sound and  
his counsel persistent in regard to the mak-  
up of the State ticket there will be a set of  
candidates presented to the voters of Penn-  
sylvania which will fill the hearts of Republi-  
cans with admiration and win success at the  
polls. If the Hicks and Durham people  
insist in their demands and disregard the  
wishes of Senator Quay, they will probably  
later learn of the folly of their course. It  
will be a pretty safe proceeding to tie to the  
"old man" and give a practical demonstra-  
tion of respect for his wisdom.

The insurgent newspapers and politicians  
in the State complain bitterly because ap-  
pointments are made "as rewards for ser-  
vices"; that the faction which made war on  
the organization are utterly ignored when it  
comes to filling official positions. We wonder,  
if the insurgent movement had been success-  
ful and John Wanner elected Governor  
of Pennsylvania, whether any of the Quay-  
ites would have been honored with an ap-  
pointment? We think not. We feel satis-  
fied though that if the contest had been led  
by the stalwarts no regular would be seen  
going about whining because he could not  
gather any of the fruits of the other fellow's  
victory.

**FREE RURAL POSTAL DELIVERY.**

The order establishing free rural postal  
deliveries in Chester and Delaware counties  
has been the means of inciting considerable  
newspaper comment. The opposition to the  
order emanates from sources which declares  
that the establishment of the free delivery  
system will work hardships among a large  
class of country storekeepers whose business  
will be ruined by the abolition of the cross-  
roads postoffice.

While there are many farmers who take  
great pleasure in traveling to the country  
store incidentally to get the mail and chiefly  
to gather the neighborhood gossip, there are  
probably a greater number who will welcome  
the innovation of having letters delivered at  
their doors.

The establishment of these free postal de-  
livery routes is not altogether an experi-  
ment. Similar routes have been in success-  
ful operation in other parts of the country  
for several years past, and the results  
achieved have been such as to warrant the  
extension of the service in sections where the  
conditions give promise of adequate returns.  
The beginning that has been made will  
not be supplemented, in the not distant  
future, by the establishment of other routes,  
in closely populated sections, which will  
serve to bring the rural population into closer  
touch with the commercial and industrial  
centers.

Free postal delivery in the rural sections  
has been the dream of successive Postmaster  
Generals for a generation past. This dream  
has in part been realized, and the indica-  
tions are that it will be more fully realized  
in the very near future. The scheme has  
every appearance of practicability, as ap-  
plied to thickly-populated regions contiguous  
or adjacent to the larger cities, and without  
doubt the time will come—nor will it be  
long in coming—when all such sections will  
be favored with free mail delivery, at least  
once a day.

**WHAT AILS THE MAN?**

Town and Country.  
The Bristol Borough Council held their  
last regular meeting on the sidewalk. The  
Bucks County Gazette says: "The regular  
meeting of Council was held on Monday  
evening, and as the keys to the hall were in  
the hands of the crowd, the meeting took  
place on the sidewalk. As there was no  
place on the sidewalk, the meeting adjourned  
after the reading of the minutes."

Bristol must have a progressive Council if  
they cannot find a better business than simply  
reading the minutes and adjourning.  
The Bristol Borough Council never held a  
meeting on the sidewalk and adjourned after  
reading the minutes. The Gazette never  
made such a statement. The editor of Town  
and Country evidently is suffering from some  
nervous ailment. In our Tullytown correspondent's  
letter on July 6 it was stated that the Council  
of that borough held a meeting on the  
sidewalk, etc.

**The Homeliest Man in Bristol**

As well as the homeliest, and others are  
invited to see an on display and get a  
trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the  
Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is guaran-  
teed to cure and relieve all Chronic and  
Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Con-  
sumption. Price 25c and 50c.

If the proverb be true that, "in a multi-  
tude of counselors there is wisdom," it ought  
to be a foregone conclusion that the wisdom  
and wisdom of experience will be  
brought to bear upon the solution of the  
trust problem, for all sorts of persons are  
taking a turn at expressing their opinions  
as to the best means of controlling, regulat-  
ing or abolishing these modern institutions,  
which are causing so much uneasiness in  
commercial, industrial and political circles  
—especially in the latter. The opinions  
evolved in the free-for-all discussion of this  
abhorring question are as diverse, as unique  
as the individualities of the persons express-  
ing them.

One of the latest contributions to the lit-  
erature of the trust problem is that of Gov-  
ernor Rogers, of the State of Washington.  
In a letter to Governor Sayers, of Texas, de-  
clining to take part in the latter's scheme for  
a national convention to consider measures  
for the control of trusts by the State, Gov-  
ernor Rogers says:

"The trust evil is to be made a political  
question, of this there can be no doubt. I  
do not believe it wise for those who are ap-  
posed to the Republican party to assist that  
party in its evident attempt to temporarily  
evade the issue by proposing State legisla-  
tion as a remedy, knowing that this must  
prove in the end an ineffective measure.  
A great majority of the trusts will, however,  
unquestionably be able to show to the satis-  
faction of any Supreme Court, that by the  
use of the large capital and improved meth-  
ods they have reduced the cost of their pro-  
duction, and are thus a benefit and not a  
detriment to the general public. That the  
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It has usually been the case that the "good  
times" are not discovered until several years  
after they have passed away. 1892 is now  
pointed to as a period of prosperity, yet it is  
a fact that at that time it was not realized  
that the country was in such a thriving con-  
dition. President Harrison had just been  
defeated for re-election by Grover Cleveland,  
because the people got restless and thought  
things would be improved by a change of ad-  
ministration. Today all records of past  
prosperity are broken and the country is in  
a position never before attained. Dun's Re-  
view of last Saturday says:

Because every prospect pleases, it is the  
right time to watch most closely for signs of  
trouble. But it is not easy to find them  
when the volume of business is 63.7 per cent.  
larger than last year, and 75.6 larger than  
in 1892, the best of all years except the last,  
or when failures continue the smallest ever  
known, or when the exports of staples begin  
to improve materially, or when railroad busi-  
ness is by far the best ever known, or when  
New York bankers appear on international  
operations, listening to a Russian inquiry  
and undertaking a Mexican loan. Even the  
industrial disputes incident to the season  
have been less trouble than usual, the largest  
of them having been settled Tuesday by the  
Tin Plate Company. The Bank of England  
finds it difficult to borrow more from this  
side, and frankly raises its rate, while this  
country begins to ship fresh crops for which  
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The Wayne Times of last week contained  
an interesting item concerning Francis Pen-  
nino who several years ago was one of the  
Bristol's prominent residents. Mr. Pennino  
is credited with being the chief of the Bar-  
negat Pirates. The article is as follows:  
"The waters of Barnegat Bay have always  
had an interest for the Isak Walton, or  
Delaware County and vicinity. Years ago  
Francis Pennino, of St. David's, with a pry-  
n including Samuel R. Garrigue, of Bryn  
Mawr, discovered in the northern nose of  
Long Beach a very attractive spot which  
would under the name of Barnegat City.  
These two men, since recognized as pioneers  
on the coast, have never failed to get in a  
few good looks during the summer season,  
when the fish are biting more freely than  
the mosquitoes. Their attachment for the  
place has been so great that their descend-  
ants, in the existing Order of Barnegat Pi-  
rates, now apply their nefarious avocation  
all the way from the famous Barnegat Light  
down to the 'Junction,' fourteen miles be-  
low. In fact some of the loveliest sites of  
large estates, both of fish and plunder, are  
attributed to Pennino, the chief, and Gar-  
rigues, the chaplain.  
"One of the favorite resorts of the sub-  
urbanites, who have come in under this regime  
of piratical progenitors, is Harvey's Cedars,  
situated about midway between the points  
just named. The oldest inhabitant here is  
no less a personage than the Pirate Chief  
himself, who in the cool of the summer eve-  
nings along the shore, is found recounting ex-  
periences with the mixed populace which  
now goes to him daily in his official capacity  
as Mayor of the borough, railroad manager,  
and chief storehouse of provisions and infor-  
mation. Mr. Pennino is accompanied by his  
family which occupies the handsomest  
cottage in the place directly overlooking the  
surf. His daughters, Mrs. Lynch and Misses  
Gertrude and Emily Pennino, have already  
been doing some entertaining of their friends  
from along the main line. It is probable  
that one of their early visitors will be Dr.  
Dixon and his youthful bride, Miss Flan-  
gan, of Woodbury."

**Ocean Grove Summer School.**  
The sixth annual session of the Ocean  
Grove Summer School will be held this year  
August 1-11. The Summer School Popular  
Concert will be given Tuesday evening,  
August 1, when a great chorus and excel-  
lent soloists, vocal and instrumental, will  
furnish a rich programme.  
The lectures of the morning and afternoon  
will be given to the technical work of the  
school and distinguished scholars, together  
with successful pastors, will represent the  
different departments, in part as follows:  
Old Testament, Dr. I. J. Peritz, Syracuse  
University; New Testament, Dr. George T.  
Purves, Princeton University; Biblical  
Theology and Physical Science, Dr. J. E.  
Price, Dean of Pastoral Theology, Dr. Russell  
H. Conwell, Dr. George P. Maier, Dr. L. W.  
Hillis.  
A special feature this year will be eight  
lectures in Oratory by Dr. Fulton, of Ohio  
Wesleyan University, in which physical cul-  
ture will be shown to be the basis of vocal  
culture.  
Popular evening lectures will be given,  
one of them being devoted to the subject of  
Liquor. Among the evening lecturers  
will be Hon. J. P. Dolliver, of the House of  
Representatives; Colonel J. Y. Copeland,  
Dr. Russell H. Conwell, Prof. W. C. Peck-  
ham.  
The musical festival will be of the same  
high order as in preceding years. The chil-  
dren's festival, with a chorus of nearly 1,000  
children's voices, and a number of soloists,  
will be held on Thursday evening, August  
10, and the oratorio of "Elijah" will be  
given Friday evening, August 11, by dis-  
tinguished soloists and a grand chorus with  
orchestral accompaniment by Prof. Tall Egan  
Morgan.  
Last year ministers and laymen came a  
thousand miles to enjoy the remarkable pro-  
gramme of this summer school. The lec-  
tures, morning and afternoon, are free to  
everybody, and only a nominal charge made  
for a season ticket giving admission to the  
great evening lectures.  
President McKinley has accepted the in-  
vitation to be present at some time during  
the session if public business permits, and it  
is earnestly hoped that he will be present at  
the rendition of the great oratorio on Friday  
evening, August 11.

**NEW TODAY**  
In the Orphans Court of the  
County of Bucks.  
The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the  
said Court to use upon disputed questions and  
make distribution of the balance of money re-  
maining in the hands of John Robinson, Executor  
of the late and testator of Ruth Wright, late  
of the Township of Falls, deceased, hereby  
gives notice that he will hold a meeting for the  
purpose of discharging the duties of his office  
at the office of Gilkeson & James, in the  
Township of Morrisville, on Saturday, the 21st  
day of August, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock and the day  
afterwards, and that all persons interested  
may attend if they see proper.  
HOWARD L. JAMES,  
Auditor.

**Children's  
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are scarcely worth home-making,  
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Yard stock can be bought for so  
little.  
Modern methods of making,  
fierce competition, the laudable  
desire of manufacturers to excel  
one another's products, all make  
for the good of the housewife.  
They lessen her work, and give  
her the results she desires.  
These dresses are neatly made,  
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**50c to \$3.75.**  
That's our price-variety. We do it  
the two which are having an unusually big  
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around it, neck and sleeves trimmed with  
Swiss embroidery, and a 5 in. hem at  
bottom of skirt.  
At \$1.25, one of same material, square  
yoke back and front, yoke of 8 flowers of  
7 links with Swiss embroidery, and  
ruffle around yoke trimmed with neck,  
sleeves and the same at neck and sleeves;  
deep hem at edge of skirt.  
Others, 50c, 75c, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$2,  
\$2.25, \$3, \$3.75.

**AN ORDINANCE**  
DIRECTING THE INVESTMENT OF THE  
SINKING FUND CREATED BY THE AN-  
NUAL TAX LEVIED AND ASSESSED  
AND COMING INTO FORCE AND EFFECT  
1899 AS PROVIDED FOR BY AN ORDINANCE  
NAMED "AN ORDINANCE OF THE  
BUREAU OF REFINING OF THE BOROUGHS  
OF MORRISVILLE AS NOW REPRESENTED  
BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF MORRISVILLE  
AND PROVIDING FOR PAYMENTS OUT  
OF THE SAME."

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and  
Town Council of the Borough of Morrisville, that  
it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority  
of the same:  
Section 1.—That the proceeds of the annual  
tax levied, assessed, and collected for the year  
1899 to provide for the payment of the bonds  
of the said Borough, and the proceeds of the  
annual tax levied, assessed, and collected for the  
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